



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	ART UNIT: 1704
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LEY et al)	Examiner:
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Appln. No.: 10/038,722)	Washington, D.C.
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Filed: January 8, 2002)	June 7, 2002
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For: ITI-D1 KUNITZ DOMAIN)	Atty.Docket: LEY=1B
MUTANTS AS hNE INHIBITORS)	
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RESPONSE TO "SEQUENCE LISTING" REQUIREMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply, mailed April 10, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 6 of page 25 with the following rewritten paragraph:

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We assume that ITI-D1 and EpiNE-7 have the same 3D configuration in solution as BPTI. Although EpiNE-7 and ITI-D1 are identical at positions 13, 17, 20, 32, and 39, they differ greatly in their affinities for hNE. To improve the affinity of ITI-D1 for hNE, the EpiNE-7 sequence Val₁₅-Ala₁₆-Met₁₇-Phe₁₈-Pro₁₉-Arg₂₀ (of SEQ ID NO:9) (**bold, underscored** amino acids are alterations) was incorporated into the ITI-D1 sequence by cassette mutagenesis between the *EagI* and